



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3564**  
Sadanobu SHIRAI et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2005\_0152A  
Serial No. 10/524,858 : Group Art Unit 1618  
Filed February 18, 2005 : Examiner Hasan Syed Ahmed  
PATCHES CONTAINING TULOButEROL : **Mail Stop: Amendment**

**REQUEST FOR INTERVIEW**

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants are submitting, concurrently herewith, an Amendment in response to the Office Action of October 1, 2008, which Applicants feel places the application in condition for allowance. However, if the Examiner is of the opinion that the application is not in condition for allowance, he is kindly requested to contact the undersigned attorney for the purpose of arranging an interview to discuss any outstanding issues, before further acting on the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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